

What is claimed is:

1           1. A configuration management method in a computer  
2   system comprising a first storage device, a second storage  
3   device which becomes a migration destination of a logical  
4   volume of said first storage device, and a server which can  
5   transmit an access request to said first and second storage  
6   devices through a network, for setting up a configuration  
7   in said second storage device, comprising:

8           a first step for obtaining a configuration including  
9   a logical volume definition, which is set up in said first  
10   storage device;

11           a second step for preparing a logical volume definition  
12   of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
13   a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
14   storage device, on the basis of a logical volume definition  
15   included in the configuration obtained in said first step;

16           a third step for preparing a cache allocation definition  
17   of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
18   a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
19   storage device, in case that a cache allocation definition  
20   is included in the configuration obtained in said first step,  
21   on the basis of the cache allocation definition that said  
22   first storage device has and capacity of a cache that said  
23   second storage device has;

24           a fourth step for preparing a port bandwidth allocation

25 definition of a port that said second storage device has,  
26 used for an access to a logical volume of said second storage  
27 device which becomes a migration destination of a logical  
28 volume of said first storage device, in case that a port  
29 bandwidth allocation definition is included in the  
30 configuration obtained in said first step, on the basis of  
31 the port bandwidth allocation definition that said first  
32 storage device has and bandwidth capacity of a port that  
33 said second storage device has; and

34 a fifth step for setting up the logical volume  
35 definition prepared in said second step, the cache allocation  
36 definition in case that the cache allocation definition is  
37 prepared in said third step, and the port bandwidth allocation  
38 definition in case that the port bandwidth allocation  
39 definition is prepared in said fourth step, in said second  
40 storage device, as a configuration.

1 2. The configuration management method according to  
2 Claim 1, wherein

3 said third step for preparing a cache allocation  
4 definition of a logical volume of said second storage device,  
5 so as for a cache allocation amount of a logical volume of  
6 said second storage device which is a migration destination  
7 of a logical volume of said first storage device to become  
8 the same capacity as a cache allocation amount of a logical  
9 volume of said first storage device, in case that a cache

10 allocation amount of a logical volume of said first storage  
11 device, which is specified by a cache allocation definition  
12 included in the configuration obtained in said first step  
13 is smaller than remaining capacity to which a logical volume  
14 is not allocated among total capacity of a cache that said  
15 second storage device has.

1 3. The configuration management method according to  
2 Claim 1, wherein

3 said fourth step for preparing a port bandwidth  
4 allocation definition of a port that said second storage  
5 device has, which is used for an access to a logical volume  
6 of said second storage device which becomes a migration  
7 destination of a logical volume of said first storage device,  
8 so as for a port bandwidth allocation amount for an access  
9 to a logical volume of said second storage device a migration  
10 destination of a logical volume of said first storage device  
11 to become the same capacity as a port bandwidth allocation  
12 amount for an access to a logical volume of said first storage  
13 device,

14 in case that a port bandwidth allocation amount for  
15 an access to a logical volume of said first storage device,  
16 which is specified by a port bandwidth allocation definition  
17 included in the configuration obtained in said first step,  
18 is smaller than bandwidth remaining capacity not allocated  
19 to an access to a logical volume among total bandwidth capacity

20 of a port that said second storage device has.

1 4. The configuration management method according to  
2 Claim 1, further comprising:

3 a sixth step for changing an access request object of  
4 said server from a logical volume of said first storage device  
5 to a logical volume of said second storage device which is  
6 a migration destination of the logical volume.

1 5. A configuration management method in a computer  
2 system comprising a first storage device, a second storage  
3 device which becomes a migration destination of a logical  
4 volume of said first storage device, and a server which can  
5 transmit an access request to said first and second storage  
6 devices through a network, for setting up a configuration  
7 in said second storage device, comprising:

8 a first step for obtaining a configuration including  
9 at least a logical volume definition, which is set up in  
10 said first storage device;

11 a second step for preparing a logical volume definition  
12 of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
13 a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
14 storage device, on the basis of a logical volume definition  
15 included in the configuration obtained in said first step;

16 a third step for judging whether or not a cache  
17 allocation amount of a logical volume of said first storage

18 device is smaller than remaining capacity to which a logical  
19 volume is not allocated among total capacity of a cache that  
20 said second storage device has, in case that a cache allocation  
21 definition is included in the configuration obtained in said  
22 first step, and prepares a cache allocation definition of  
23 a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
24 a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
25 storage device, in case that a cache allocation amount of  
26 a logical volume of said first storage device is smaller  
27 than remaining capacity to which a logical volume is not  
28 allocated among total capacity of the cache that said second  
29 storage device has, so as for a cache allocation amount of  
30 a logical volume of said second storage device which is a  
31 migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
32 storage device to becomes the same capacity as a cache  
33 allocation amount of a logical volume of said first storage  
34 device;

35 a fourth step for judging whether or not a port bandwidth  
36 allocation amount for an access to a logical volume of said  
37 first storage device, which is specified by a port bandwidth  
38 allocation definition, in case that the port bandwidth  
39 allocation definition is included in the configuration which  
40 was obtained in said first step, is smaller than bandwidth  
41 remaining capacity which is not allocated to an access to  
42 a logical volume among total capacity of a port that said  
43 second storage device has, and prepares a port bandwidth

44 allocation definition of a port that said second storage  
45 device has, which is used for an access to a logical volume  
46 of said second storage device which becomes a migration  
47 destination of a logical volume of said first storage device,  
48 in case that a port bandwidth allocation definition for an  
49 access to a logical volume of said first storage device is  
50 smaller than bandwidth remaining capacity which is not  
51 allocated to an access to a logical volume among total capacity  
52 of a port that said second storage device has, so as for  
53 a port bandwidth allocation amount for an access to a logical  
54 volume of said second storage device which is a migration  
55 destination of a logical volume of said first storage device  
56 to become the same capacity as a port bandwidth allocation  
57 amount for an access to a logical volume of said first storage  
58 device;

59 a fifth step for setting up the logical volume  
60 definition which was prepared in said second step, the cache  
61 allocation definition in case that the cache allocation  
62 definition was prepared in said third step, and the port  
63 bandwidth allocation definition in case that the port  
64 bandwidth allocation definition was prepared in said fourth  
65 step, in said second storage device, as a configuration;

66 a sixth step for changing an access request object of  
67 said server from a logical volume of said first storage device  
68 to a logical volume of said second storage device which is  
69 a migration destination of the logical volume; and

70           a seventh step for changing an access control list of  
71   said first storage device, so as to reject an access request  
72   from said server.

1           6. A configuration management apparatus in a computer  
2   system comprising a first storage device, a second storage  
3   device which becomes a migration destination of a logical  
4   volume of said first storage device, and a server which can  
5   transmit an access request to said first and second storage  
6   devices through a network, for setting up a configuration  
7   in said second storage device, comprising:

8           a calculation device, and a storage subsystem, wherein  
9           said calculation device carries out

10          a process which obtains a configuration including a  
11   logical volume definition and a cache allocation definition  
12   and/or a port bandwidth allocation definition, from said  
13   first storage device and stores them in said storage  
14   subsystem,

15          a process which prepares a logical volume definition  
16   of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
17   a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
18   storage device, on the basis of a logical volume definition  
19   included in the configuration stored in said storage  
20   subsystem,

21          a process which prepares a cache allocation definition  
22   of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes

23 a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
24 storage device, in case that a cache allocation definition  
25 is included in the configuration stored in said storage  
26 subsystem, on the basis of the cache allocation definition  
27 that said first storage device has and capacity of a cache  
28 that said second storage device has,

29 a process which prepares a port bandwidth allocation  
30 definition of a port that said second storage device has,  
31 which is used for an access to a logical volume of said second  
32 storage device which becomes a migration destination of a  
33 logical volume of said first storage device, in case that  
34 a port bandwidth allocation definition is included in the  
35 configuration stored in said storage subsystem, on the basis  
36 of the port bandwidth allocation definition that said first  
37 storage device has and bandwidth capacity of a port that  
38 said second storage device has, and

39 a process which sets up the prepared logical volume  
40 definition, the cache allocation definition in case that  
41 the cache allocation definition is prepared, and the port  
42 bandwidth allocation definition in case that the port  
43 bandwidth allocation definition is prepared, as a  
44 configuration of said second storage device.

1 7. The configuration management apparatus according  
2 to Claim 6, wherein

3 said configuration management apparatus is built up



4 on said second storage device.

1 8. The configuration management apparatus according  
2 to Claim 6 is connected to each device which configures said  
3 computer system through another network separated from said  
4 network.

1 9. A computer system comprising:  
2 a first storage device;  
3 a second storage device which becomes a migration  
4 destination of a logical volume of said first storage device;  
5 a server which can transmit an access request to said  
6 first and second storage devices through a network; and  
7 a configuration management apparatus which sets up a  
8 configuration in said second storage device, wherein  
9 said configuration management apparatus has a  
10 calculation device, and a storage subsystem, wherein  
11 said calculation device carries out  
12 a process which obtains a configuration including a  
13 logical volume definition, from said first storage device  
14 and stores it in said storage subsystem,  
15 a process which prepares a logical volume definition  
16 of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
17 a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
18 storage device, on the basis of a logical volume definition  
19 included in the configuration stored in said storage

20 subsystem,

21       a process which prepares a cache allocation definition  
22 of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
23 a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
24 storage device, in case that a cache allocation definition  
25 is included in the configuration which was stored in said  
26 storage subsystem, on the basis of the cache allocation  
27 definition that said first storage device has and capacity  
28 of a cache that said second storage device has,

29       a process which prepares a port bandwidth allocation  
30 definition of a port that said second storage device has,  
31 which is used for an access to a logical volume of said second  
32 storage device which becomes a migration destination of a  
33 logical volume of said first storage device, in case that  
34 a port bandwidth allocation definition is included in the  
35 configuration stored in said storage subsystem, on the basis  
36 of the port bandwidth allocation definition that said first  
37 storage device has and bandwidth capacity of a port that  
38 said second storage device has, and

39       a process which sets up the prepared logical volume  
40 definition, the cache allocation definition in case that  
41 the cache allocation definition is prepared, and the port  
42 bandwidth allocation definition in case that the port  
43 bandwidth allocation definition is prepared, as a  
44 configuration of said second storage device.

1           10. A computer-readable recording medium in a computer  
2 system comprising a first storage device, a second storage  
3 device which becomes a migration destination of a logical  
4 volume of said first storage device, and a server which can  
5 transmit an access request to said first and second storage  
6 devices through a network, stores a program used to set up  
7 a configuration of said second storage device, storing a  
8 program which has a computer executed:

9           a first step for obtaining a configuration including  
10 a logical volume definition, which is set up in said first  
11 storage device,

12           a second step for preparing a logical volume definition  
13 of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
14 a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
15 storage device, on the basis of a logical volume definition  
16 which is included in the configuration which was obtained  
17 in said first step,

18           a third step for preparing a cache allocation definition  
19 of a logical volume of said second storage device which becomes  
20 a migration destination of a logical volume of said first  
21 storage device, in case that a cache allocation definition  
22 is included in the configuration obtained in said first step,  
23 on the basis of the cache allocation definition that said  
24 first storage device has and capacity of a cache that said  
25 second storage device has,

26           a fourth step for preparing a port bandwidth allocation

27 definition of a port that said second storage device has,  
28 which is used for an access to a logical volume of said second  
29 storage device which becomes a migration destination of a  
30 logical volume of said first storage device, in case that  
31 a port bandwidth allocation definition is included in the  
32 configuration which was obtained in said first step, on the  
33 basis of the port bandwidth allocation definition that said  
34 first storage device has and bandwidth capacity of a port  
35 that said second storage has, and

36 a fifth step for setting up the logical volume  
37 definition which was prepared in said second step, the cache  
38 allocation definition in case that the cache allocation  
39 definition is prepared in said third step, and the port  
40 bandwidth allocation definition in case that the port  
41 bandwidth allocation definition is prepared in said fourth  
42 step, in said second storage device.

1 11. A configuration management method in a computer  
2 system comprising a first storage device, a virtualization  
3 device which manages a logical volume of said first storage  
4 device by a virtual volume which is a virtual logical volume,  
5 and a server which can transmit an access request to said  
6 first storage device and said virtualization device through  
7 a network, for setting up a configuration in said  
8 virtualization device, comprising:

9 a first step for obtaining a configuration including

10 a logical volume definition, which is set up in said first  
11 storage device;

12 a second step for preparing a logical volume definition  
13 of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
14 virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
15 on the basis of a logical volume definition which is included  
16 in the configuration obtained in said first step;

17 a third step for preparing a cache allocation definition  
18 of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
19 virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
20 in case that a cache allocation definition is included in  
21 the configuration obtained in said first step, on the basis  
22 of the cache allocation definition that said first storage  
23 device has and capacity of a cache that said virtualization  
24 device has;

25 a fourth step for preparing a port bandwidth allocation  
26 definition of a port that said virtualization device has,  
27 which is used for an access to a virtual volume of said  
28 virtualization device which virtualizes a logical volume  
29 of said first storage device, in case that a port bandwidth  
30 allocation definition is included in the configuration which  
31 was obtained in said first step, on the basis of the port  
32 bandwidth allocation definition that said first storage  
33 device has and bandwidth capacity of a port that said  
34 virtualization device has; and

35 a fifth step for setting up the logical volume

36 definition prepared in said second step, the cache allocation  
37 definition in case that the cache allocation definition is  
38 prepared in said third step, and the port bandwidth allocation  
39 definition in case that the port bandwidth allocation  
40 definition is prepared in said fourth step, in said  
41 virtualization device, as a configuration.

1           12. The configuration management method according to  
2 Claim 11, wherein  
3           said third step for preparing a cache allocation  
4 definition of a virtual volume of said virtualization device,  
5 so as for a cache allocation amount of a virtual volume of  
6 said virtualization device which virtualizes a logical  
7 volume of said first storage device to become the same capacity  
8 as a cache allocation amount of a logical volume of said  
9 first storage device, in case that a cache allocation amount  
10 of a logical volume of said first storage device, which is  
11 specified by a cache allocation definition included in the  
12 configuration obtained in said first step is smaller than  
13 remaining capacity to which a logical volume is not allocated  
14 among total capacity of a cache that said virtualization  
15 device has.

1           13. The configuration management method according to  
2 Claim 11, wherein  
3           said port bandwidth allocation definition of a port

4 that said virtualization device has, which is used for an  
5 access to a virtual volume of said virtualization device  
6 which virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage  
7 device, so as for a port bandwidth allocation amount for  
8 an access to a logical volume of said virtualization device  
9 which virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage  
10 device to becomes the same capacity as a port bandwidth  
11 allocation amount for an access to a logical volume of said  
12 first storage device,  
13 in case that a port bandwidth allocation amount for an access  
14 to a logical volume of said first storage device, which is  
15 specified by a port bandwidth allocation definition included  
16 in the configuration obtained in said first step, is smaller  
17 than bandwidth remaining capacity which is not allocated  
18 to an access to a logical volume among total bandwidth capacity  
19 of a port that said virtualization device has.

1 14. The configuration management method according to  
2 Claim 11, further comprising:

3 a sixth step for changing an access request object of  
4 said server from a logical volume of said first storage device  
5 to a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
6 virtualizes the logical volume.

1 15. The configuration management method according to  
2 Claim 14, further comprising:

3           a seventh step for changing an access control list of  
4   said first storage device, so as to reject an access request  
5   from said server.

1           16. A configuration management apparatus in a computer  
2   system comprising a first storage device, a virtualization  
3   device which manages a logical volume of said first storage  
4   device by a virtual volume which is a virtual logical volume,  
5   and a server which can transmit an access request to said  
6   first storage device and said virtualization device through  
7   a network, for setting sets up a configuration in said  
8   virtualization device, comprising:

9           a calculation device, and a storage subsystem, wherein  
10          said calculation device carries out

11          a process which obtains a configuration including a  
12   logical volume definition, from said first storage device  
13   and stores it in said storage subsystem,

14          a process which prepares a logical volume definition  
15   of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
16   virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
17   on the basis of a logical volume definition included in the  
18   configuration stored in said storage subsystem,

19          a process which prepares a cache allocation definition  
20   of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
21   virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
22   in case that a cache allocation definition is included in



23 the configuration which was stored in said storage subsystem,  
24 on the basis of the cache allocation definition that said  
25 first storage device has and capacity of a cache that said  
26 virtualization device has,

27 a process which prepares a port bandwidth allocation  
28 definition of a port that said virtualization device has,  
29 which is used for an access to a virtual volume of said  
30 virtualization device which virtualizes a logical volume  
31 of said first storage device, in case that a port bandwidth  
32 allocation definition is included in the configuration  
33 stored in said storage subsystem, on the basis of the port  
34 bandwidth allocation definition that said first storage  
35 device has and bandwidth capacity of a port that said  
36 virtualization device has, and

37 a process which sets up the prepared logical volume  
38 definition, the cache allocation definition in case that  
39 the cache allocation definition is prepared, and the port  
40 bandwidth allocation definition in case that the port  
41 bandwidth allocation definition is prepared, as a  
42 configuration of said virtualization device.

1 17. The configuration management apparatus according  
2 to Claim 16, wherein

3 said configuration management apparatus is built up  
4 on said virtualization device.

1        18. The configuration management apparatus according  
2 to Claim 16 is connected to each device which configures  
3 said computer system through another network separated from  
4 said network.

1        19. A computer system comprising:  
2        a first storage device;  
3        a virtualization device which unifies the management  
4 of a logical volume of said first storage device by a virtual  
5 volume which is a virtual logical volume;  
6        a server which can transmit an access request to said  
7 first storage device and said virtualization device through  
8 a network; and  
9        a configuration management apparatus which sets up a  
10 configuration in said virtualization device, wherein  
11        said configuration management apparatus has  
12        a calculation device, and a storage subsystem, wherein  
13        said calculation device carries out  
14        a process which obtains a configuration including a  
15 logical volume definition, from said first storage device  
16 and stores it in said storage subsystem,  
17        a process which prepares a logical volume definition  
18 of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
19 virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
20 on the basis of a logical volume definition which is included  
21 in the configuration which was stored in said storage

22 subsystem,

23       a process which prepares a cache allocation definition  
24 of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
25 virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
26 in case that a cache allocation definition is included in  
27 the configuration stored in said storage subsystem, on the  
28 basis of the cache allocation definition that said first  
29 storage device has and capacity of a cache that said  
30 virtualization device has,

31       a process which prepares a port bandwidth allocation  
32 definition of a port that said virtualization device has,  
33 which is used for an access to a virtual volume of said  
34 virtualization device which virtualizes a logical volume  
35 of said first storage device, in case that a port bandwidth  
36 allocation definition is included in the configuration which  
37 was stored in said storage subsystem, on the basis of the  
38 port bandwidth allocation definition that said first storage  
39 device has and bandwidth capacity of a port that said  
40 virtualization device has, and

41       a process which sets up the prepared logical volume  
42 definition, the cache allocation definition in case that  
43 the cache allocation definition is prepared, and the port  
44 bandwidth allocation definition in case that the port  
45 bandwidth allocation definition is prepared, as a  
46 configuration of said virtualization device.

1           20. A computer-readable recording medium in a computer  
2 system comprising a first storage device, a virtualization  
3 device which manages a logical volume of said first storage  
4 device by a virtual volume which is a virtual logical volume,  
5 and a server which can transmit an access request to said  
6 first storage device and said virtualization device through  
7 a network, stores a program which is used to set up a  
8 configuration in said virtualization device, storing a  
9 program which has a computer executed:

10           a first step for obtaining a configuration including  
11 a logical volume definition, which is set up in said first  
12 storage device,

13           a second step for preparing a logical volume definition  
14 of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
15 virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
16 on the basis of a logical volume definition which is included  
17 in the configuration obtained in said first step,

18           a third step for preparing a cache allocation definition  
19 of a virtual volume of said virtualization device which  
20 virtualizes a logical volume of said first storage device,  
21 in case that a cache allocation definition is included in  
22 the configuration obtained in said first step, on the basis  
23 of the cache allocation definition that said first storage  
24 device has and capacity of a cache that said virtualization  
25 device has,

26           a fourth step for preparing a port bandwidth allocation

27 definition of a port that said virtualization device has,  
28 which is used for an access to a virtual volume of said  
29 virtualization device which virtualizes a logical volume  
30 of said first storage device, in case that a port bandwidth  
31 allocation definition is included in the configuration which  
32 was obtained in said first step, on the basis of the port  
33 bandwidth allocation definition that said first storage  
34 device has and bandwidth capacity of a port that said  
35 virtualization device has, and

36 a fifth step for setting up the logical volume  
37 definition which was prepared in said second step, the cache  
38 allocation definition in case that the cache allocation  
39 definition is prepared in said third step, and the port  
40 bandwidth allocation definition in case that the port  
41 bandwidth allocation definition is prepared in said fourth  
42 step, in said virtualization device, as a configuration.